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The following table illustrates the organizational structure and personnel of the officials and employees of DIA Textil, as of March 1955. DIA Textil is the trading agency which handles the import and export of textile products for East Germany with both the Eastern Bloc and the rest of the world.

Chief Director	Rabaschuss (fnu - SED)
Party Director	Lachmann (fnu - SED)
Chief Bookkeeper	Moenkemeier (fnu - SED)
Plant economy (Betriebswirtschaft)	Kubla (fnu - SED) Helmut Wimmer (SED)
Cadre Department	Horst Kluge (SED)
Director for Planning	Heinz Zern (SED)
Sections (Saeule) A - Director	Erich Andrae (SED)
Export Kontore:	
T 02 Furniture & Decorations	Schenner (fnu - SED) Schaal (fnu), rumored to be State Security representative.
T 03 Laces & Curtains	Becker (fnu - SED)
T 04 Stockings	Bucksch (fnu)
T 12 Knit Wear & Gloves	Kubicki (fnu)
T 15 Carpets	Slusa (fnu - SED)
Sections (Saeule) B - Director	Kurt Epperlein (SED)
Export Kontore:	
T 01 Cotton Goods	Hildebrand (fnu - SED)
T 10 Leather Gloves	Nachbar (fnu - SED)
T 11 Sweaters, etc.	Meichsner (fnu - SED)
T 13 Blankets	Heiser (fnu - SED)
Sections (Saeule) C - Director	Sprachta (fnu - SED)
Import Kontore:	
T 05 T 07 T 14	
T 06 T 09	

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2. In March 1955, the Soviet Union cancelled all its orders for imports from DIA Textil. In Konto T 12, Knitted Wear and Gloves, 5,000,000 rubles worth of orders were cancelled. This cancellation completely eliminated Kontor T 12's 1955 Plan for trade with the Soviet Union.

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